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FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: PRELIMINARY NEGATIVE COUNTERVAILING DUTY DETERMINATIONS FOR CORROSION RESISTANT STEEL FROM SOUTH AFRICA

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TO: REGIONAL DIRECTORS, COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS DISTRICT DIRECTORS, AREA AND PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION

RE: PRELIMINARY NEGATIVE COUNTERVAILING DUTY DETERMINATIONS FOR CORROSION RESISTANT STEEL FROM SOUTH AFRICA

- 1. THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ON SEPTEMBER 13, 1993, NOTICE OF ITS PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION THAT NO BENEFITS WHICH CONSTITUTE BOUNTIES OR GRANTS WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY LAW ARE BEING PROVIDED TO MANUFACTURERS, PRODUCERS, OR EXPORTERS OF CERTAIN STEEL FROM SOUTH AFRICA.
- 2. THIS E-MAIL COVERS CERTAIN CORROSION-RESISTANT CARBON STEEL FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS ONLY. THESE PRODUCTS INCLUDE FLAT-ROLLED Message Date: 09/16/1993 Message Number: 3259114 Page 2 of 5

CARBON STEEL PRODUCTS, EITHER CLAD, PLATED, OR COATED WITH CORROSION-RESISTANT METALS SUCH AS ZINC, ALUMINUM, OR ZINC-, ALUMINUM-, NICKEL- OR IRON-BASED ALLOYS, WHETHER OR NOT CORRUGATED OR PAINTED, VARNISHED OR COATED WITH PLASTICS OR OTHER NONMETALLIC SUBSTANCES IN ADDITION TO THE METALLIC COATING, IN COILS (WHETHER OR NOT IN SUCCESSIVELY SUPERIMPOSED LAYERS) AND OF A WIDTH OF 0.5 INCH OR GREATER, OR IN STRAIGHT LENGTHS WHICH, IF OF A THICKNESS LESS THAN 4.75 MILLIMETERS, ARE OF A WIDTH OF 0.5 INCH OR GREATER AND WHICH MEASURES AT LEAST 10 TIMES THE THICKNESS OR IF OF A THICKNESS OF 4.75 MILLIMETERS OR MORE ARE OF A WIDTH WHICH EXCEEDS 150 MILLIMETERS AND MEASUSRES AT LEAST TWICE THE THICKNESS, AS CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE IN THE HTS UNDER ITEM NUMBERS

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EXCLUDED FROM THIS INVESTIGATION ARE FLAT-ROLLED STEEL PRODUCTS
EITHER PLATED OR COATED WITH TIN, LEAD, CHROMIUM, CHROMIUM
OXIDES, BOTH TIN AND LEAD ("TERNE PLATE"), OR BOTH CHROMIUM AND
CHROMIUM OXIDES ("TIN-FREE STEEL"), WHETHER OR NOT PAINTED,
VARNISHED OR COATED WITH PLASTICS OR OTHER NONMETALLIC SUBSTANCES

IN ADDITION TO THE METALLIC COATING. ALSO EXCLUDED FROM THIS INVESTIGATION ARE CERTAIN CLAD STAINLESS FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS, WHICH ARE THREE-LAYERED CORROSION-RESISTANT CARBON STEEL FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS LESS THAN 4.75 MILLIMETERS IN THICKNESS THAT CONSIST OF A CARBON STEEL FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCT CLAD ON BOTH SIDES WITH COLD-ROLLED PROCESSED STAINLESS STEEL FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS IN A 20%-60%-20% RATIO.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES, THIS COUNTERVAILING DUTY CASE Message Date: 09/16/1993 Message Number: 3259114 Page 3 of 5

HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATIONS NUMBER C-791-801. FOR CUSTOMS PURPOSES ONLY THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED THE FOLLOWING CASE NUMBER: C-791-208.

- 4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, THEY SHOULD CONTACT THE ANTIDUMPING/COUNTERVAILING DUTY BRANCH VIA E-MAIL ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB". THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT KRISTIN HEIM OR BETH GRAHAM, OF THE OFFICE OF COUNTERVAILING INVESTIGATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, TELEPHONE: (202) 482-3798 OR 482-4105.
- 5. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party